

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME WITHIN THE SECOND MONTH UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

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Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions for a two-month extension of time in which to file a Response to Notice to File Missing Parts in the above-identified application.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING 37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a)

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date below.

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Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$410.00 for a two-month extension fee. If any additional fees are required, please charge those fees to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0447.

Respectfully submitted,

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